

such District or Districts as are so united to his Parish.

"The Inhabitants of the said Districts shall have each and the same right to have marriages baptisms and christenings solemnised and performed in the Churches of the respective Parishes to which such Districts are respectively united.

"All fees ecclesiastical offerings and emoluments arising from the said Districts shall henceforth belong to the Incumbents of the Parishes to which such Districts are respectively united.

"No alteration shall be made in the Patronage or in the Tithe Rentcharge or other endowments of the said Benefices or any of them.

"MARTIN ROFFEN.

"CONSENTS.

"We Martin by Divine Permission Bishop of Rochester and in right of my said Bishopric the Patron or person entitled to collate to the Benefices of Frindsbury and St. Mary Strood and the United Benefice of Higham with Merston all in the County of Kent and my Diocese of Rochester in case the same or one or either of them were now vacant The Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Christ and the Blessed Virgin Mary of Rochester being the Patrons or persons entitled to present to the Benefice of Strood in the same County and Diocese in case the same were now vacant The Reverend Henry Frampton Shepherd the Incumbent of the said Benefice of Frindsbury The Reverend Frederick William Kay the Incumbent of the said Benefice of Strood The Reverend James Richard Foster the Incumbent of the said United Benefice of Higham with Merston and The Reverend Stanley Moorcroft Epps the Incumbent of the said Benefice of St. Mary Strood do hereby respectively signify our several Consents to the Scheme above proposed and set forth and to every matter therein contained.

"In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands this eighth day of June One thousand nine hundred and thirty-five.

"MARTIN ROFFEN,

"Patron of Frindsbury; St. Mary Strood and Higham with Merston.

(L.S.) "Patrons of Strood.

"H. F. SHEPHERD,

"Incumbent of Frindsbury.

"FRED. W. KAY,

"Incumbent of Strood.

"JAMES R. FOSTER,

"Incumbent of Higham.

"STANLEY M. EPPS,

"Incumbent of St. Mary Strood."

And whereas the said Archbishop being satisfied with the said Scheme has, under the provisions of the said Pluralities Act, 1838, by his Report dated the 27th day of June, 1935, certified the same and the Consents aforesaid to His Majesty in Council to the intent that an Order may, if His Majesty in Council so think fit, be made for carrying the Scheme into effect:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the said Scheme be carried into effect.

M. P. A. Hankey.

Privy Council Office,
23rd July, 1935.

MERCHANT SHIPPING (SAFETY AND LOAD LINE CONVENTIONS) ACT, 1932.

Notice is hereby given that His Majesty in Council was pleased on the 15th day of July, 1935, to approve four Orders in Council under the above named Act, entitled The Merchant Shipping Safety Convention (Hong Kong) No. 1 Order, 1935; The Merchant Shipping Safety Convention (Hong Kong) No. 2 Order, 1935; The Merchant Shipping Safety Convention (Straits Settlements) No. 1 Order, 1935; The Merchant Shipping Safety Convention (Straits Settlements) No. 2 Order, 1935.

Copies of the said Orders, when published, may be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—
Aadastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Privy Council Office,
23rd July, 1935.

CATHEDRAL MEASURES, 1931 AND 1934.

Notice is hereby given that His Majesty in Council was pleased on the 15th day of July, 1935, to approve Orders in Council under the above named Measures, confirming Schemes, prepared by the Cathedral Commissioners for England, for the Cathedral Churches of Chelmsford, Leicester, Portsmouth and Wells respectively.

Crown Office,
House of Lords.
19th July, 1935.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Rev. Canon Richard Brook, M.A., to the Rectory of St. Andrew with Holy Trinity, Rugby, in the County of Warwick and Diocese of Coventry, void by the elevation of the Venerable Joseph Wellington Hunkin, O.B.E., M.C., D.D., to the See of Truro and in His Majesty's Gift for this turn only by virtue of His Prerogative Royal.

Crown Office,
House of Lords, S.W.1.
22nd July, 1935.

MEMBER elected to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Kent, Sevenoaks Division.

Charles Edward Ponsonby, Esquire, in the place of the Right Honourable Sir Edward Hilton Young, G.B.E., D.S.O., D.S.C. (now Lord Kennet), who since his election for the said County hath accepted the office of Steward or Bailiff of His Majesty's Three Chiltern Hundreds of Stoke, Desborough and Burnham, in the County of Buckingham.